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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS

10	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	) Criminal Case No. 08-00016
11	Plaintiff,	)
12	v.	) AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OI
13		GOVERNMENT'S MOTION TO CONTINUE TRIAL
14	LARRY BORJA HOCOG	Hearing: June 23, 2008
15		Time: 10:30 a.m. Judge: Hon. Alex R. Munson
16	Defendant.	)
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- I, Eric S. O'Malley, submit this affidavit in support of the government's Motion to Continue Jury Trial, which trial is now set to begin on June 30, 2008 at 9:00 a.m., and hereby swear as follows:
- That I am an Assistant United States Attorney assigned to the District of Guam and the 1. Northern Mariana Islands. I have worked in the Northern Mariana branch office for approximately one year, and one month.
- That I am the prosecutor assigned in the above-captioned case. 2.
- 3. That the office computer network malfunctioned yesterday, on June 19, 2008, and has yet to be restored. I spoke with the office technician today; he informed me that he

could not determine how soon the problem could be fixed.

- 4. That I have diligently sought to locate key witnesses who are currently on the U.S. mainland, or in Hawaii, and who will not return to the Northern Mariana Islands until the week of July 7, 2008. That I was unaware that said witnesses would be unavailable during the week of June 30, 2008, when I stipulated to re-schedule the trial from June 23, 2008.
- That the government will be prepared to move forward with the trial should it be 5. rescheduled to begin July 7, 2008.

To this I do attest this 20th day of June 2008.

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